

MAJOR INCIDENT REPORT A SPECIAL REPORT FROM LOS ANGELES COUNTY FIRE CHIEF DARYL L. OSBY

August 20, 2013

TYPE OF INCIDENT:

Out of County Assistance to U.S. Forest Service

DATE AND TIME OF OCCURRENCE:

August 17, 2013, 3:15 p.m.

INCIDENT SUMMARY:

Rim Incident: On Saturday, August 17, 2013, at 3:15 p.m., a brush fire broke out in the Groveland Range District of the Stanislaus National Forest. This morning at 3:12 a.m., we received a request from U.S. Forest Service for assistance. We deployed two camp crews and one superintendent. Currently, the Forest Service is reporting 10,170 acres burned and zero containment. Two structures and five outbuildings have been destroyed, and approximately 2,500 structures are being threatened to the west of the fire. There are 455 firefighters battling this blaze, with no firefighter injuries reported. This incident is under unified command with multiple agencies. Our Department will receive cost recovery on this incident.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT THE EXECUTIVE OFFICE AT (323) 881-6180